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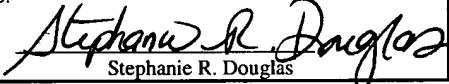
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
and PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 1.136, please extend the period for response to the Office Action mailed May 25, 2004, for a period of one (1) month, up to and including September 27, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee of \$110 to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. If the amount is incorrect, please credit any excess or charge any further amount due to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

In response to the Office Action dated May 25, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.